

JOHN BEARDWOOD

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OBJECTIVE

Current Systems Administrator seeking an entry level Software Engineering position. Passionate about problem solving and rapidly adaptable to unfamiliar technologies and circumstances. Proficient in various programming languages with a strong understanding of object oriented design. Highly values creativity and collaboration in the design process. Lifelong multi-instrumentalist with ample experience performing and engineering. Other interests include art, games (video or otherwise), and skateboarding.

SKILLS & ABILITIES

JavaScript/React/Node OpenGL/WebGL	C/Python/Java Github/Version Control	HTML/CSS Windows/UNIX	Networking/Wireless Tower Climb Certified
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EXPERIENCE

Jan 2020 - Present	Systems Administrator / Infrastructure Operations, <i>Cruzio Internet</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Maintained and expanded a production level network consisting of thousands of customers spread across multiple counties.Worked with a team to plan and construct new wireless infrastructure sites across Santa Cruz county which will enable hundreds of new customers to be served with internet connectivity.Configured networking equipment using Winbox/RouterOS to serve individual sites as well as integrate them into the greater Cruzio network.Responded promptly to emergency notifications in order to quickly diagnose and repair emerging network issues such as power outages and web server issues.
Aug 2019 - January 2020	Technical Support Representative, <i>Cruzio Internet</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Worked with customers over the phone to diagnose and resolve internet, email, and web hosting issues.Utilized knowledge of related technologies to create and enact effective troubleshooting strategies.Used de-escalation tactics and conversational skills to turn negative customer interactions into positive ones.Attained working knowledge of DSL, Networking, Wireless PtP/PtMP, and Fiber optic technologies.

PROJECTS

Winter 2017	Music Theory Keyboard, <i>Website</i>, <i>Group Project</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Created an aesthetically pleasing and interactive website to teach music theory.Utilized Web2Py as a backend, JS for logic, HTML/CSS for styling, Github, and Scrum for group organization.Designed lessons that introduced concepts in a logical progression as well as directly tested the users' understanding.Taught music theory concepts to group members who were unfamiliar.
Fall 2016	Surface of Rotation Renderer, <i>Graphics project</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Created a program using JS and WebGL to create and render multiple objects.Generated a surface of rotation using a user-drawn line. This line is rotated around an axis to create a vase-like object with that line as its profile.Created shaders which applied various lighting styles, perspectives, and texture mappings.Applied linear algebra concepts to perform transformations (scaling, rotation, etc.).

EDUCATION

2015-2018	University of California, Santa Cruz <ul style="list-style-type: none">Bachelor of Science in Computer ScienceBachelor of Arts in MusicGPA: 3.56
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